



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q79190

Jorge PALLAS MORENA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/773,435

Group Art Unit: 3671

Confirmation No.: 6592

Examiner: Victor D. BATSON

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For: DEVICE FOR THE COUPLING OF EXCAVATOR TEETH

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the October 4, 2005 *Restriction Requirement*, Applicants elect Group I, which includes claims 1-13, 35 and 36. Applicants reserve the right to file a Divisional Application directed to Group II, which includes claims 14-34. Prompt and favorable action on the merits of elected claims 1-13, 35 and 36 is now respectfully requested.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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